

**Permission for black topping within RoW of
Amravati-Nandgaon-Morshi-Warud-
Pandhurna, Morshi to MH/MP State Border
from Km.52.440 to Km 0.000 (design Km.43.000
to Km.95.390) of NH-353 K EPC Mode in the
State of Maharashtra.**

**Government of Maharashtra
Revenue and Forest Department
Government Order No.: FLD-2019/CR-266/F-10
Mantralaya, Mumbai 400032
Date: 22.08.2019**

Reference:

- 1) Revenue and Forest Department, Government of Maharashtra Circular No. FLD-2019/C.R.76/F-10, dt.03.05.2019.
- 2) Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur Letter No.Desk-17/NC/I.I.D/C.R.01/859/19-20, dt.20.08.2019.

Preamble:

Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur vide letter under reference No.2 has submitted a proposal to the State Forest Department for black topping within RoW of Amravati-Nandgaon-Morshi-Warud-Pandhurna, Morshi to MH/MP State Border from Km.52.440 to Km 0.000 (design Km.43.000 to Km.95.390) of NH-353 K EPC Mode which is received from the Deputy Executive Engineer, NHAI, Amravati Division. After careful consideration and scrutiny of the proposal, the Government is pleased to approve to the proposal.

Government Order:

In exercise of powers delegated to the State Government, vide MoEF&CC, Government of India's Handbook of Guidelines for effective and transparent implementation of the provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 [Chapter-11, Para-11.6], Government of Maharashtra is pleased to grant approval for black topping within RoW (in 7 meter width) of Amravati-Nandgaon-Morshi-Warud-Pandhurna, Morshi to MH/MP State Border from Km.52.440 to Km 0.000 (design Km.43.000 to Km.95.390) of NH-353 K EPC Mode.

2. This approval is issued subject to the following conditions:-
 - i) The work shall be executed only within the existing Right of Way.
 - ii) No felling of tree shall be done.
 - iii) No widening of roads should be undertaken without prior permission of the Central Government under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.
 - iv) No breaking of fresh forest land is carried out.
 - v) While black-topping, adequate precaution should be taken by the user agency to avoid any damage to flora and fauna.

- vi) No labour camp shall be established on the forest land.
- vii) No work shall be allowed after sunset.
- viii) Any damage to forest area due to such up-gradation works shall be compensated by the implementing agency from the project cost. The extent of damage shall be assessed by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.
- ix) State Forest Department shall establish permanent check posts on strategic locations on such roads which are already up-graded/under up-gradation.
- x) The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Amravati Forest Division, Amravati shall take appropriate action as per para 1.21 (i) of the handbook issued by the MoEF&CC vide in letter dated 08/03/2019.
- xi) The User Agency shall carry out black topping over 7 m. existing road width only after technical and administrative approval to the work by the Competent Authority.
- xii) Any other conditions stipulated by Government time to time will be binding to User Agency.
- xiii) Provisions of all Acts, Rules made there under and guidelines applicable to the project shall have to be strictly followed.

This Government Order is available at the website www.maharashtra.gov.in. with reference no 201908221816132219. This Order has been signed digitally.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra.

(Virendra Tiwari)
Additional Principal Chief
Conservator of Forests (Mantralaya)

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